## **Setting Up Your Care Notebook**

- 1. Gather the information you already have.
  - a. Gather any health information you already have about your child, including
    - i. Reports from doctors' visits
    - ii. Summaries of hospital stays
    - iii. This year's IEP, BIP, FBA, etc.
    - iv. Medical test results
    - v. Educational test results
    - vi. Immunization records
    - vii. Dated prescription medication information sheets
    - viii. Your child's fingerprints, if you have them
- 2. Decide what information about your child is important to keep in the Notebook.
  - a. What do you need to look up the most often?
  - b. What do members of your child's team(s) need?
- 3. Review your Notebook prior to doctor appointments or when needed. Keep the information updated as necessary.